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Ex parte THOMAS JOZEFIAK, STEPHEN RANDELL HOLMES-FARLEY, W. HARRY MANDEVILLE, CHAD CORI HUVAL, VENKATA R. GARIGAPATI, KEITH K. SHACKETT, & DANNY CONCAGH

Application 09/721,291

ORDER RETURNING UNDOCKETED APPEAL TO EXAMINER

This application was electronically received at the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences on July 7, 2005. A review of the application has revealed that the application is not ready for docketing as an appeal. Accordingly, the application is herewith electronically returned to the examiner. The matters requiring attention prior to docketing are identified below.

An examination of the file reveals that appellants filed an amendment on July 24, 2004. There is no indication on the electronic record, that the examiner considered the amendment. Appropriate correction is required.

Accordingly, it is

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ORDERED that the application is returned to the examiner:

- for consideration of the amendment filed July 24,
 2004;
- 2. for written communication to appellants regarding the action taken; and
 - 3. for such further action as may be appropriate.

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